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9 *IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT*
10 *FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA*

11 WILLIE EDWARDS,

CASE NO. 08-1923 CW

12 Petitioner,

13 *UNOPPOSED REQUEST FOR AN*
14 *EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A*
15 *TRAVERSE TO RESPONDENT'S ANSWER*

16 v.

BEN CURRY, (Warden),

17 Respondent.
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19 I, TRACI S. MASON, declare as follows:

20 1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice before all Courts of this state. I am
21 also admitted to practice in the Northern, Eastern and Central Districts of California and the Ninth
22 Circuit. I am a member of the LAW OFFICE OF TRACI S. MASON, attorney for the
23 Petitioner, WILLIE EDWARDS, in this action.

24 2. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein, and if called as a witness,
25 I can competently testify thereto.

26 3. On August 13, 2008, Petitioner is due to file his Traverse to the Respondent's Answer.
27 However, I will be unable to file the Traverse by that time. I am therefore asking that this Court
28 to grant a twenty one (21) day extension in which to file the Traverse.

4. There have not been any previous requests for extension of time.

1 5. I will need this time to address all of the issues in the Answer.

2 6. I have a family emergency which requires me to leave the country. I will be leaving
3 on Sunday, August 10, 2008.

4 7. On May 8, I spoke with Deputy Attorney General Stacey Schesser, who stipulated to
5 my request for an extension.

6 8. Accordingly, Petitioner respectfully asks that this Court grant this extension.

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8 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this
9 10th day of August, 2008, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California.

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***ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
TRAVERSE TO RESPONDENT'S ANSWER***

15 BEN CURRY, (Warden),

16 Respondent

17 Real Parties In Interest.
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19 Petitioner, WILLIE EDWARDS, having duly applied for an extension of time to file his
20 Traverse to Respondent's Answer Re petition For Writ Of Habeas Corpus, and good cause
21 appearing,

22 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the time for filing Petitioner's Objections is extended
23 through and including September 3, 2008.

24 Dated: _____

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE
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